

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Lance M. Africk  
Honorable Michael B. North

FROM: Darnley R. Hodge, Sr. 

DATE: July 6, 2020

RE: COVID-19 Update

There are no known changes regarding the COVID-19 status of staff and inmates at OJC.

As previously reported there was an inmate death. The inmate tested negative for COVID-19 during our routine testing. Upon his death, the hospital reported that he was positive for COVID-19.

The inmate was housed in 1A. This pod housed 56 inmates. Subsequent to the death and positive COVID-19 result, we tested all staff who worked in that pod. All staff had negative findings for COVID-19.

We also tested the 55 remaining inmates. 54 of them tested negative for COVID-19. We did not receive the test results for 1 of them. We will follow up to locate the results of the test.

If there is further information that I should provide to you, please let me know.

cc: Marlin N. Gusman, Sheriff  
Margo Frasier, Lead Monitor  
Robert Greifinger, M.D., Monitor  
Ray Patterson, M.D., Monitor